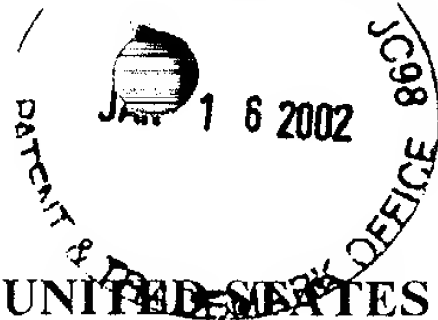


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

WERFEL et al.

Serial No. 09/904,188

Filed: July 12, 2001

For: CENTRIFUGE WITH A MAGNETICALLY STABILIZED ROTOR FOR
CENTRIFUGAL GOODS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a three-month extension-of-time, to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application mailed August 28, 2001.

Enclosed is a check to cover the cost of the extension fee of \$920.00 according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(4). Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-2036.

Respectfully submitted,

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